

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE

Applicant : WILSON, ALAN A. ET AL.
Application No. : 09/979,569
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Title : Method and Apparatus for Loading a Container With a Product

Grp./A.U. : 3721
Examiner : Harmon, Christopher R.

Docket No. : PG3707USW

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT F

The following is in response to the official action dated December 9, 2005, raising new grounds for rejection and marked final. Applicant hereby requests a **3-month extension of time** to extend the response period up to and including June 9, 2006. To assure entry of this submission after final, this amendment is filed with a **Request for Continued Examination**. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 07-1392.

Please amend the above mentioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this document.